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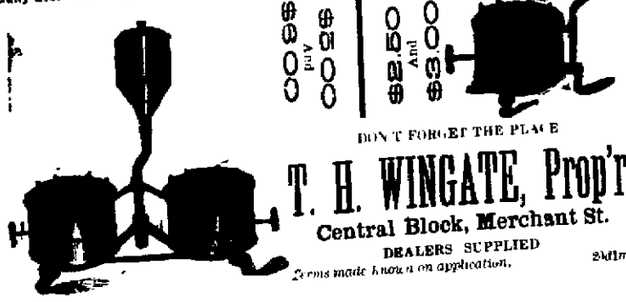

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From the Leadville Democrat.

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WEDESDAY EVENING, JUNE 15, 1881.

WILL this thing never end? Iroquois won another race in England yesterday—the Prince of Wales stake at Ascot.

INDIANAPOLIS is to have a new two-cent morning paper—the *Times*. Ex-Postmaster Holloway is to be the manager.

A CAR-LOAD of new winter wheat was received in Chicago yesterday, from Texas.

LATER accounts from the Iowa and Kansas storms show that they were more destructive than at first reported. The track of the Iowa storm was about ten miles wide, and much property was destroyed. Hailstones weighing fifteen ounces came down with such force as to pass through roofs and ceilings to the lower floors. Cattle, horses and hogs that were not killed outright are bruised as though they had been pelted with cannon balls.

IT is said that there are twenty private yachts in New York which cost over $100,000 apiece, and that the value of the sail and steam yachts in New York waters is about $2,500,000.

THERE are now in use in the world over 100,000 railway locomotives, representing a 30,000,000 horse-power. The technical "horse power," however, is equal to the power of three horses. Each horse represents the power of seven men, so that the representative power of the locomotive exceeds the power of all living men.

APPARENTLY the Mormon question is in a fair way to settle itself if one can only have patience. During the past decade the Gentile population increased 200 per cent, while the Mormon population increased only 45 per cent. The weakest must inevitably go to the wall.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Called Meeting

OFFICE BOARD OF EDUCATION,
DECATUR, ILL., June 14, 1881.

Present—Messrs. Barnes, Chambers, Hirsch and clerk.

Minutes of two previous meetings read and approved.

Treasurer's report of receipts and expenditures for the month of May read, compared and approved.

Superintendent's report of receipts and expenditures of tuition fund for the month of May read, examined and approved.

The following bills were allowed and clerk directed to draw orders on the treasurer to pay same:

Telephone Co., $9 00; Frank W. Haines, $25; Hamsher & Mosser, $19.50; C. B. Prescott, $5; Ada Wallace, $17.20; J. R. Stevens, $5.10; I. A. Buckingham $5; S. S. Jack, $7; Hubbard & Stewart, $1.60; S. M. Lutz, $32; F. L. Hays & Co., $2 45; Linn & Scruggs, 40 cents.

The following was read and resignation accepted:

Hon. Members of the Board of Education, Decatur:

As I do not intend to teach during the coming year, I hereby resign my position as teacher in the Decatur schools, and in doing so desire to extend my hearty thanks to both Board and Superintendent for the many favors, of which I have been the recipient during the past six years. I shall always remember with pleasure my association with the Decatur schools and will ever consider it a pleasure to do anything that lies in my power for the advancement of the cause of education here.

Respectfully, F. J. MILBURN.

Adjourned.

WM. A. BARNES, Pres't.
E. A. GARTMAN, Clerk.

Small-Pox Circular.

A circular has been issued by the State Board of Health to the State and local Boards of Health of the Northwest, inviting them to a conference at the Grand Pacific Hotel, Chicago, on June 29, to take into consideration a plan for concert of action, in connection with the National Board of Health to prevent the introduction into the country and spread of small pox. The spread of small-pox at this time is mainly owing to its introduction by immigration, and unless more energetic measures are taken, there may be many more points of infection. Three more deaths have occurred since Saturday, near Hulls, in Pike county.

53d AND 54th EXCURSION

To Southeastern Kansas and the West. Leave Union Depot, Decatur, at 3 40 p m., on June 21st and July 5th, via the Illinois Midland Railway, reaching Kansas City, Wellington, Columbus, Lincoln, Denver, Pueblo, etc. Tickets good for 40 days and 40 nights—good to stop off. Free ticket one way to all who purchase land of me. Free livery and half rates at hotels. Having made 52 trips to the west, I am prepared to give all information, and always go through with excursions. For maps and all information address Thomas Bivans, over Decatur post office, and C. H. Brown, Wabash ticket office. 14 d&w1w

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THE MISSOURI CYCLONE.

Letter from an Eye-witness.

The writer of the following letter was formerly a resident of this county, and is a son of Robert Timmons, Esq., of Macon:

KING CITY, MO., June 13, '81.

EDS. REPUBLICAN:——Thinking you would like to hear of the terrible cyclone which passed through our county on yesterday evening, I herewith enclose to you a small supplement of our King City paper, giving a short sketch of the terrible scene which we witnessed on last evening, and which, I assure you, was much worse than can be conceived by reading the statement. I have traveled over some twelve miles of the scene, and the reader cannot picture in his mind a correct idea of the destruction—horses, cattle, hogs, sheep and everything which came in contact with the terrible cyclone were scattered along the line. I think, without counting, I could say hundreds of cattle were scattered along the line. Some had been carried into the air and again hurled to the ground, perhaps striking feet first, driving feet and legs into the ground and breaking them off of their bodies; and again hoisting them into the air, some without horns, some without heads, and in some instances the hide of the animal was all that was left to tell the story. It is a miracle, indeed, how even a single person escaped with life that was caught. I was an eye witness, and I know of what I speak. Yours truly,

J. T. TIMMONS.

From an Extra of King City Chronicle, June 13.

One glance at the track of the cyclone showed its fury. As if swept by artillery, the houses, barns, fences, trees and everything was carried away, leaving a barren track behind some seventy or eighty rods in width. Long after it had passed the sky was filled with fragments of timbers, leaves, grass, etc. In the northeast, seemingly but a short distance, the cloud, or cyclone, could be seen reaching from the heavens to the earth. Like a mighty serpent it appeared, waving to and fro as it was carried on in its work of destruction.

In a comparatively short time runners arrived on rapid horses to summon medical aid to the wounded. Rumors went thick and fast of who were killed and who were missing. The first report that came in was that Mr. R. C. Nelson and family were all either killed or carried away by the cyclone.

At Israel Wood's place not a vestige of what was a beautiful farm a few minutes before now remained. Mr. Wood and his family had taken refuge in the cellar. The cyclone carried away his house from over his head, and even a portion of the foundation went with it. Blinded and bleeding, he lifted his wife and babe out of the cellar and beheld nothing but desolation on every side. Near where his house stood were his sheep and cattle strewn along on the ground. Out of a flock of 280 head 250 were lost, cattle and horses likewise.

At the residence of Mr. Maynard the scene was shocking to behold. Mr. Maynard was found jammed up against a post with a rail driven through his body. He died in a few minutes. His oldest daughter, Gracie, aged about 17, could not be found for some time. Fully half a mile away she was found without a stitch of clothing on her person, save one stocking. Although alive when first found, she soon afterward expired. The remainder of the family were injured, but how serious we have not learned.

At the residence of Mr. R. C. Nelson, one mile north of town, the scene beggars description. William Millen, the merchant at this place, who is a step son of Mr. Nelson, was at home. It is said they did not know of the approach of the cyclone. The first persons to arrive there found the house and buildings gone. William Millen was found about thirty rods from where the house stood. Still alive he was brought to town, and hopes are entertained that he will recover. Mr. Nelson was blown about two hundred yards, and was found quite dead. Little Robert, aged about ten years, was the only remaining person in the house. He is seriously injured but will recover.

The damage resulting to buildings, fences, stock and growing crops, cannot be even approximated. A. McLain lost 80 head of fine cattle; Job Pierce lost six head of horses; Israel Wood, 250 head of sheep and several head of cattle and horses; L. G. Dangerfield lost the most of his stock.

We expect to hear of twenty five, or probably fifty, persons killed, and hundreds of others crippled and blown out upon the fields.

REV. I. S. KALLOCH, the mayor of San Francisco, who is now on a visit in New England, preached on Sunday in Rockland, Me., in the Baptist church in which he preached his first sermon at the age of 19, and over which he was pastor for several years following. He said that since he went out of business and politics in Kansas he had not gone into either since. He was not engaged in politics in San Francisco, whatever newspapers had said. He was a minister still. His church and himself were perfectly united, and, notwithstanding his duties as mayor of that city, he preached regularly to a large congregation and did as much pastoral work as any minister in San Francisco.

OUT of twelve horses in a stable at Bloomington, one was worth $5,000, while the remaining eleven were comparatively valueless. A flash of lightning killed the best animal, without even injuring the others. The owner, who was an earnest Christian, resigned his church membership and resumed a long neglected course of profanity, declaring that Providence was against him anyhow.

TELEGRAPHIC

THE STORMS.

More About their Destructive Character.

Another American Victory in England.

LONDON, June 14.—At Ascot Lorrillard's Iroquois won the Prince of Wales stake, Geologist second, Great Carle third. Seven horses ran.

The race for the gold vase, two miles, was won by Ambassadress, Monarch second, Peter third. Only the three named ran.

The race for the Ascot stake was won by Retreat, Fenotdale second, Prudhomme third.

In the first race Culloden jumped away with the lead and made the running at a strong pace clear of Nesseliff, Voluptuary and Geologist, Great Carle next. As they came along Swivly bottom Culloden held the lead about twenty lengths. He was followed by Voluptuary, Mackelyne, Geologist and Iroquois in the order named until three quarters of a mile from home, when Culloden was beaten by Voluptuary, Nesseliffe and Great Carle, who came on together until half way up the straight, when they were joined by Iroquois and Geologist, the former winning a good race by half a length before Geologist, with Great Carle in the lead third, and Maskelyne, Nesseliffe, Voluptuary and Culloden finishing in the order named, Archer was again the rider of Iroquois.

It is considered certain that Iroquois will carry off one or more valuable prizes to the credit of America before the end of the week, while it is the unanimous opinion that Wallenstein, carrying 102 pounds, is the pick of the handicap for the Wickingham stakes Friday.

Lorrillard has five and Keene three horses already here. Foxhall is on his way from Paris, having traveled all the way to Bologne Sunday night. Providing Iroquois, Foxhall and Robert the Devil meet in the Rous Memorial, this will be the most interesting race of the season.

The London *Times* and *Telegraph* have each editorials this morning congratulating the owners of the Derby and Grand Prix winners. The *Times* says: "It is much for an American horse to have won the Derby. The victory would have been emphasized had Iroquois crossed the channel and carried off the Grand Prix. From another point of view the racing glory of the United States is not merely enhanced but doubled by the success in France, not of the same, but of a second representative of the United States." The *Times* says the Derby winner never before won the Prince of Wales stakes as well.

LONDON, June 14.—At Alexander Park the race for the Enfield Park trotting stakes of ten sovereigns, distance a mile and a half, one heat of which was won by McIntyre's American pony Alec, was concluded to-day and won by Alec, who secured the last two heats, the final one being by eight lengths; time of heat, 4 minutes and 26½ seconds.

The Cornell crew make another attempt Thursday to be admitted to the race for the Visitors' Plate.

WASHINGTON, June 14.—The treasury investigation committee to-day submitted a preliminary report to Secretary Windom of the evidence found against the custodian's department. The committee report that they found a regularly organized ring, which has been in existence for several years, and has been misappropriating money and defrauding the government. The officials and employes who were connected with the ring will be dismissed at once, and a more complete and thorough investigation will be ordered. All facts heretofore reported in the western associated press dispatches relating to the selling of carpets and other frauds of the ring are reported by the committee.

The report of the treasury investigating committee, submitted to-day, recommends the immediate discharge of Pitney, custodian of the treasury; Norton, assistant secretary, and of the chief clerk for having violated the law.

LONDON, ONT., June 14.—The following is the verdict in the Victoria investigation: "We do find that the capsizing of the steamer Victoria was caused by water in the hold. We believe the water leaked in through a hole stove in the bottom from some cause unknown. We suppose this injury was caused by coming in contact with a stone or snag in the river. We are also convinced that the boiler was not securely fastened, and that the stanchions supporting the promenade and hurricane decks, were of too slender a nature and made chiefly of pine, and not properly braced. We are also of the opinion that the engineer was guilty of great negligence in the discharge of his duty in not seeing that the hold was full of water, and in not conveying in person to the captain the dangerous condition of the boat. We think the captain was to blame on accepting the dual position of captain and wheelsman, which prevented him from giving his undivided attention to the proper management of the boat. We are also of the opinion that he was to blame for leaving Spring Bank without making a proper examination of the boat, as there was undoubtedly water in the hold at the time. We are further of the opinion that the manager did not do his duty in not employing sufficient hands to man the boat; that he should have had the boat inspected and a certificate for the same. The jury think the government inspector deserves blame for the manner in which he inspected and passed the boat Victoria last year, as, from the evidence, her upper construction was not fit to carry a large load of passengers, and we would strongly urge upon the government the necessity of making more stringent inspection and regulations in regard to passenger steamboats.

ST. LOUIS, June 14.—The *Globe-Democrat* states that a scheme is on foot to consolidate under one management the several large iron companies doing business in this section of country, and that it will no doubt be consummated in a very short time. The companies mentioned in this connection are the Iron Mountain company, with a capital stock of $3,600,000; the Pilot Knob Iron company, capital stock, $2,000,000; the Vulcan Iron and Steel works, capital $1,000,000; and the Grand Tower manufacturing and transportation company, capital $1,000,000. Should this scheme be carried out, it is said the Vulcan Steel works will be enlarged so as to make their output the largest in the country.

DES MOINES, June 14.—The damage to the growing crops by Sunday's hail storm may prove quite serious to a few farmers as wheat, rye, corn and other crops were all beaten off the ground in a few localities. In such cases rye will, of course, be a total loss and wheat and oats may not recover, but it is the general opinion that corn will be very little damaged, as it is not far enough advanced for breaking off to ruin it, and farmers report that it has started up again and grew about two inches Monday and Tuesday. Some farmers have commenced plowing under wheat and oats, intending to sow flax, plant corn, or some other crop, but most will wait a day or two longer to see if the wheat and oats will grow again.

HARVESTING is in progress in California, and reports indicate fair crops. There, as in other portions of the United States, the season is later than is usual, and trustworthy estimates of the season's yield of grain are impossible. From South Australia word comes that the wheat crop is a failure, but taken alone that will not materially affect the world's supply. Any one of a half dozen American wheat states produces from four to six times as much wheat as the acreage of South Australia. The Australian colonies, and at least one Central American state, report light crops, and the prospects in Russia are about the same as last year. Interest in the American crop will increase as intelligence of the shortage in the yield of foreign grain fields is confirmed.

WASHINGTON, June 14.—The Greenback secretary says the Greenbackers in the next congress will stand solidly out together on all questions. Nine are pledged to meet in the Greenback caucus and carry out Greenback policies. They are Ladd, Murch, Bramin, Musgrove, Rife, Hazeltine, Burroughs and Fort and James. Hyatt Smith votes with the Republicans. The Greenbackers intend to control in part the organization of the house: It is probable the two Readjusters of Virginia will also vote Republican.

It may be set down that the Republicans will organize the next house; the opposition can't combine against it.

Grant's outspoken condemnation of the Administration has added force to the whisperings that a stalwart congressman will, after congress meets, antagonize the Administration. The talk hitherto has come from disappointed office seekers, but Grant's open opposition creates the impression that it will be done. A prominent Conklingite today said it was the purpose of Grant, Conkling and their friends to drive Blaine from the cabinet by threatening to disturb the Republican supremacy in the senate and house. The Administration thinks slightingly of the talk, and is confident two administration senators will be returned in place of Conkling and Platt, and that steps looking to a deeper investigation may be taken.

CLINTON, ILL., June 14.—Our city to day was the scene of a riot on a small scale. For several years the citizens and land owners of Harp township have been fighting the payment of $20,000 in bonds which they voted in aid of the Gilman, Clinton and Springfield railroad, and have each year refused to pay their taxes, and intimidated others from doing so by attending the sale in large numbers and making threats of violence to any one who dared to bid on them. To day while the sale was going on, Mr. Charles Johnson, of Indianapolis, Ind., stepped up and bid on a piece, when fifteen of the men jumped on him, pounding him and kicking him at the same time, and finally put him over the fence. The affair is an everlasting disgrace to DeWitt county, and Mr. Johnson will have them all taken before the U. S. court.

CHICAGO, June 14.—Griscom has entered upon the eighteenth day of his fast in good condition. Dr. Williamson made an examination to day, and said he could not last more than ten days longer. Griscom laughed, and assured the doctor that he was mistaken. On a health lift this afternoon Griscom easily raised 500 pounds, a remarkable feat considering the time he has been without nourishment. He had his picture taken again to-day, and the difference between them and those first taken was quite marked.

5 Cents a Piece.

We have just received a small case of 50 dozens all-linen Handkerchiefs, an excellent article, which we offer at 5c a piece. CHEAP STORE.
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GENTLEMEN'S Gauze Undershirts at STINE'S. 11—dtf.

LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the Post Office, Decatur, Macon Co., Ill., for week ending June 15, 1881.

Baker John F	Law Samuel B
Bundy J A	Mason Mrs Ada
Bickes Mrs Katie	Mattox Mrs Anna
Bowman Eddy 2	Monson Eddy
Burke John T	McKee Frank
Bradley Mary J	McDowell James A
Cussins Josephus	McKean Mrs L A
Campbell Mrs Mary E	Noonan Albert
Collins Miss Mamie	Neagle Miss Mary
Cole Mary Maxwell	O'Brien P
Clark Mrs Mary A	Prill Franz
Carter Nellie A	Rowark Henry
Diller David	Simmons Charles
Forbes Fred L	Salters Miss Emma
Fletcher G D	Simpson Mrs Kate
Filaps John	Silver M T
Fry Miss Lizzie	Stewart Peas
Goode C M	Vanlaw Miss Flora
Head Charles	Willinson Cloudon
Hale Wm	Warner Mrs Alice
Sackson James H	Wilkinson Thomas
Landon David A	
Leach Mrs E	

Foreign—J. H. Gordon, care of W. A. Copperd, 3; John B. Mitchell.

H. P. LYTLE, P. M.

Money to Loan!

On city or farm property. Apply to A. WAIT,
13 d6 No 12 Merchant st., 2d story.

Cash Paid

For all kinds of second-hand clothing at Goetz's, corner of Water and Prairie sts. also fine clothing repaired and scoured. 13 d1w

THE RUTHLESS DESTROYER.

That ruthless destroyer of so many lives, consumption, may be prevented by using Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, a speedy and comprehensive medicine, used also for lameness and soreness, cuts, bruises, sprains, burns, piles, kidney troubles, frosted feet, warts, bunions, and other bodily troubles, as well as diseases and injuries of horses and cattle.

For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoner. 15

Thomas Myers, Bracebridge, writes: "Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil is the best medicine I sell. It always gives satisfaction and in cases of coughs, colds, sore throat, burns, &c., immediate relief has been received by those who use it."

For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoner. 12

If Adam had had a game of "fifteen" placed in his hands at an early period of his existence the whole course of history might have been materially altered for the better, and if biliousness, indigestion, sick headache, or dyspepsia were unknown, Spring Blossom would not be needed. Price 75c., 50 cents, and trial bottles 10 cents.

Butterick's Spring Pattern Publications

AT HAND TO DAY.

Feb. 17 d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

AN ORDINANCE

In Relation to the Construction of a Sewer in the Fifth Ward.

SEC. 1. *Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Decatur*, That a sewer be constructed commencing at the culvert underneath the Indianapolis, Decatur & Springfield Railroad and running thence in a southwestly direction to the centre of Calhoun street, thence south along the centre of Calhoun street to a point about 60 feet north of the alley south of North street, thence in a southwesterly direction to the brick culvert on East William street east of the Illinois Central Railroad.

SEC. 2. That the line of survey and location of said sewer made by the city engineer, a map or plat of which is now on file in the office of the city clerk of said city, be, and the same is hereby adopted.

SEC. 3. That the depth and grade of said sewer as fixed and established by the city engineer, a profile of which is now on file in the office of the city clerk of said city, be, and the same is hereby adopted.

SEC. 4. That said sewer shall be constructed of first-class hard brick, laid in Louisville cement, eight inch walls, two feet bench walls, four feet apart in the clear, arched over with eight inch wall with two feet radius, the bottom to be paved with first-class hard burnt brick laid on end, to be well grouted level with top of brick and covered with a coat not less than one-half inch thick of best Louisville cement, troweled down smooth; the centre of the bottom of said sewer to be a foot lower than the outer edge.

SEC. 5. That said sewer shall be constructed with four 12-inch Y's, of best vitrified sewer pipe, at all street crossings; two 12-inch Y's at all alley crossings except alley south of North street, and a 24-inch opening in said last named alley, and with an 18-inch man-hole at all street crossings, covered with a 3-feet stone having an 18-inch circle or opening; said openings to be covered with suitable stone caps; said manholes to be placed at such points as shall be designated by the committee on public improvements. The Y's, when not used to connect lateral pipe, to be closed with 2-inch oak plank, well cemented.

SEC. 6. If quicksand or other soft material shall be found at the bottom of the excavation made for the laying of said sewer, a solid plank foundation shall be put in, upon which such sewer shall be laid.

SEC. 7. The construction of said sewer, including the labor or material, shall be let by contract to the lowest responsible bidder, and shall be paid for by general taxation.

SEC. 8. All work done in pursuance of this ordinance shall be under the immediate supervision of the city engineer.

SEC. 9. The city clerk is ordered to give notice by publication in the DECATUR REPUBLICAN daily for ten days that bids for the construction of said sewer will be received by the city council on the 25th day of June, A. D. 1881, which notice shall specify that the city council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

SEC. 10. This ordinance to be in force upon its passage and legal publication.

Passed June 13, 1881.
Approved June 14, 1881.
Published June 16, 1881.

H. W. WAGGONER, Mayor.
G. P. HARDY, City Clerk.

Warren & Durfee

No. 14 North Water St.,

— OFFER THE —

Best Dwelling Lots!

For the price, now on the market, only three-and-a-half blocks from the business center.

Lots on North Water, on Durfee, Bradford and Marietta Sts., between Water and Broadway. Also

Business Lots

On Water Street.

A CHOICE LITTLE FARM

44 ACRES,

One-fourth mile from City Limits.
June 3, 1881—dtf

STOVES TAKEN ON STORAGE

For the season, cleaned, kept dry, and put up when wanted for use in the fall, by
R. LIDDLE,
Court House Block.
April 29-d&wtf

NOW OPEN!

One of the handsomest stocks of Goods we have ever shown. All bought since the great

BREAK IN PRICES in New York,

Enabling us to show you goods at less prices than early purchasers paid for them.

Our Embroideries at 25 cents are as good as you have ever seen at 40 cents. Our stock of Laces is elegant; all the new styles and patterns and at exceeding low prices. We show a beautiful line of real Thread and Duchesse at lower prices than any city will show them.

Our Stock of "Hays" Kid Gloves contains all the new shades. We also show the Imperial Kids, all colors, with 5 hooks. Our 16-cent all-wool Buntings are the same that sold last year at 25 cents, and the best goods we sell at 25 cents.

Our Black Brocade Silks at 65 and 75 cents and $1.00 are beautiful and as good as we have ever shown at $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50.

We have a handsome line of Dress Silks, all colors, at $1.00, with Brocade to match; also plain and plaid Satins, plaid Surahs, and new styles Summer Silks, at 50 cents and up. Our stock of Black Silks, commencing at 50 cents, contains some of the best makes and at the lowest prices.

We also carry handsome Black Surahs, Marvalieuxs and Satin de Lyon.

Our stock of Girls' and Ladies' Hosiery and Gloves is very complete with new styles, including Black Silk and Black Lisle Thread Hose for ladies. We have pretty Ruchings, Collars, Cuffs, Ladies' Ties and a full line of Ribbons, gros grain, satin and fancies.

We show the best Corsets in the city for the prices, and full lines of Ladies' and Gents' Underwear.

Our stock of Parasols is very complete. Among them some very beautiful beaded, lined and lace trimmed.

Beautiful Fans of every description, with new novelties of all kinds being received daily.

See our unlaundried Shirts, at $1.00, with the new improvement.

F. L. HAYS & CO.

April 8-d&wtf

DIAMONDS!

We carry at all times an extensive line of DIAMONDS, EAR RINGS, LACE PINS, LOCKETS, CLUSTER and SOLTAIRE RINGS, STUDS, COLLAR and CHEMISE BUTTONS, &c.

We buy these goods of the LARGEST IMPORTERS IN THIS COUNTRY FOR CASH, AND AS LOW AS ANY ONE CAN BUY THEM. We therefore can sell them for LESS MARGIN than the retailers in the larger cities whose expenses are ten times what ours are, and who depend upon this line of goods for their large profits.

See us and get our prices before you buy DIAMONDS.

OTTO E. CURTIS & CO.

June 14, 1881—d&wly

BABY BUGGIES!

Children's Carriages!

Sleeping Coaches!

ALL NEW PATTERNS TO SELECT FROM.

GOOD GOODS, AT VERY LOW PRICES.

VAPOR

STOVES!

THOUSANDS NOW IN DAILY USE.

ECONOMICAL COOKING STOVE.

Many Several Sizes and Styles

FURNITURE, STOVES, BEDS,

BED ROOM OUTFITS!
DINING ROOM OUTFITS!
KITCHEN OUTFITS!

In fact, almost everything you want for Housekeeping, all at the VERY LOWEST PRICES, at

LIDDLE'S MAMMOTH STORES,

COURT HOUSE BLOCK.

March 22—d&wtf

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The Daily Republican.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, JUNE 15, 1881.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

BABY CARRIAGES, an elegant assortment, very cheap to make room for other goods, at E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.'s.

LUSTER coats at STINE'S.

JOHNSON was discharged this afternoon.

THE finest selection of Straw Hats in the city at STINE'S 11—dtf.

A FRESH supply of "garden truck" on sale at Young Bros. every morning.

THE German Lutheran Sunday School picnic will be given at the Turner's Park on Thursday next.

THE Rescues have been received and feasted, and toasted like the conquering heroes that they are, and now we are all happy.

IF you have any copying to do take it to A. T. Grist's Gallery, No. 25 Water street. Price as low as any gallery. [mar16tf

USE "Sword of Pain" for diphtheria, chilblains and corns To be had only at W. C. Armstrong's drug store.

GENT'S Linen and Alpacca Dusters at STINE'S. 11—dtf.

THE Decatur churches will not hold union Sunday night services this summer.

THE state printer will have the session laws of the 32d general assembly ready to ship to county officers, etc., by the 20th instant

DR STONER, the park druggist, has a full line of Diamond Dyes, Handy Package Dyes and Union Dyes. 10 d2w

Two enterprising citizens of Maroa, Funk and Bohen, in order to get plenty of water with which to sprinkle the dusty streets of that growing city, are putting up a tank, a wind mill and a force pump.

FOR the best of accommodations call at the Palace hotel on South Main street.

CALL for Schroeder's Bohemian cigars —the boss nickel cigars.

THE awning in front of Priest's Hotel was torn away this forenoon.

THE missionary sociable at Silas Packard's residence last night was well attended

A LADY wishes sewing to do, cuts and fits by the Magic Scale. Will work at home or go out. Fancy dress making preferred Address P. O. Box 220.

150 DOZENS children's and misses' hose, at 10c a pair. CHEAP STORE.

THE First M. E. Church is much improved since the ladies cleaned it. The pastor's study is the best in the Illinois Conference, and the rooms below are in complete order

THE best style slippers at J. W. Baker's apr30dtf

FLANNEL sailor suits for children at Fleury's the French Cutter. 11d&wtf

GENT'S imported (French) silk undershirts at STINE'S. 11—dtf.

BLOOMINGTON is making a red-hot effort toward convincing the veterans that that city is just the place to hold the 1881 reunion of the Illinois Veterans' Association

THE banquet, like the runs at Council Bluffs and the grand ovation to the boys, was an immense success It was a labor of pride and love with the ladies, and they did nobly.

FOR constipation, costiveness, or biliousness, use Dr Marshall's Big Bromoline. Big bottles for 50 cents. Ask your druggist for it

WANTED.—A good blacksmith. Apply to P. Contevill, Assumption, Illinois.

24 d1m

SELECT a nice pants pattern at Fleury's, low price and perfect fit guaranteed.

11d&wtf

ANOTHER large lot of linen and flannel suits for children just received by Fleury the French Cutter, corner of old square.

11d&wtf

FURNISHING goods, hats and caps a specialty at Fleury's, the French Cutter, corner of old square. 11d&wtf

ONE hundred summer pants patterns, domestic and imported goods, to be sold out at reduced prices, perfect fit guaranteed, at Fleury's the French Cutter.

11 d&wtf

REMEMBER our Bargain Table contains goods at very *low prices*

1-d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

MOODY'S Abdominal Corsets, Bortrees', Dr. Warner's, Glove Fitting, and all the best American and French Corsets, at lower prices than you can find them anywhere else, at LINN & SCRUGGS.

8-d&w1w

BILIOUSNESS or constipation is a sign of disordered liver. Cure them both with a bottle of Dr. Marshall's Bromoline, the Big Blond Medicine, 50 cents a bottle.

ANOTHER new invoice of Tuscan and fancy braids in bonnets and hats, just received at Mrs. R. C. Hamsher's, No. 21 Central Block. Also a fine selection of shaded and plaid silks and ribbons, and all the latest novelties in the millinery line. 4 d&wtf

SUMMER suits put up to order in the latest styles at reduced prices by Fleury, the French Cutter, corner of old square. 11d&wtf

200 DOZENS Ladies' Hose, comprising every make, quality and color, at 10c. a pair; the best value in Decatur.

13-daw1w CHEAP STORE.

Children's Temperance Meeting.

Miss Prince will hold her first meeting with the children on Saturday, June 18, at 3 p. m., at the tabernacle. Sabbath School superintendents who are willing, are requested to call the attention of their schools to the meeting and to second the invitation extended by us.

M. M. SARGENT,
Sec. W. C. T. U.

A Fresh Invoice

Of Parasols, Hosiery and Ladies' Gauze Underwear. CHEAP STORE.

10—d&w1w

FOR cheap goods go to the Bargain Table of Linn & Scruggs.

March 26-d&wtf.

J. H. KUNZ, Agent for S. T. Taylor's imported Patterns. [mar7d&wtf

ANOTHER violent rainstorm, accompanied by heavy thunder and vivid flashes of lightning, visited this city between 7 and 8 o'clock this morning. Allen Scott's residence on East Wood street was struck by lightning, but doing little damage. The bolt struck the roof near a lightning rod and went ripping down through a partition in one of the upper rooms. A part of the plastering was knocked off a wall and thrown across the room, and three gilt picture frames hanging near were almost ruined by the scorch. The glass in one of the frames fell out and looked as if it had been smoked for some one to view an eclipse of the sun through it. Mrs. Scott, Miss Williams and other inmates of the dwelling were in the rear part of the house, and were considerably shocked by the lightning.

COUP will be in Decatur on Friday next with his great collection of monster shows, and the weather being favorable, thousands of people from the county and surrounding towns will flock to the city to witness the gorgeous street pageant and hand over their silver pieces to the lightning ticket sellers. It will be a great day for the tradesmen who prepare for the event The weather will be hot, and no one need be surprised if he sees at least two dusky maidens in the parade thinly attired.

THE temperance folks of Atlanta are in a good humor. They needed about one hundred dollars to square up all accounts, and last Sunday after his sermon Dr. Goodwin asked for three hundred and twenty-five dollars. The temperance people there now have a large tabernacle, organ, etc., and are out of debt, and have over $200 in the treasury for future use.

A PLEASANT picnic party was given last evening at "Camp Gordon," four miles west of Decatur, in honor of Charles Gordon, of Decatur. The affair was arranged by Miss May Rogers, and was attended by a jolly company of young folks.

A BROKEN truck caused nine cars of a Midland freight to jump the track, this forenoon, a few miles this side of Mt. Zion. James C. Campbell was in the caboose and narrowly escaped serious injury. He rode in on the locomotive.

THE Wabash road will sell round trip excursion tickets to the National Sangerfest at Chicago on June 29th. Tickets from Decatur sold on June 27th, 28th and 29th, good to return on all trains to July 7th. Fare $5.00. June14dtf

The Murder Trial.

The prosecution in the Johnson murder case was abandoned this afternoon, and the case was given to the jury without any instructions from the court or remarks from the attorneys. After deliberating for about 10 minutes the jury brought in a verdict of "Not guilty," and the prisoner was discharged.

Postponed.

The picnic of Stapp's Chapel Church and Sunday School, announced to take place next Thursday at the fair grounds, will be postponed for one week on account of the grounds being already engaged for that day. 24

House and Lot for Sale.

House on College street—5 good rooms, large lot, good well Will be sold cheap for cash Enquire of

m11d6t C. A. MINCKLEY.

Just Received

A fresh invoice of ladies' and men's gauze underwear, infants' and children's dresses and robes CHEAP STORE.

15-d&w1w

Laboring Men, Take Notice!

All who have an interest in trying to protect themselves by organization for business, will meet at the grand jury room, Thursday evening, June 16th, at 8 o'clock. By order

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PERSONAL MENTION.

State Secretary Brown, of Chicago, was in our city to day.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kraft have gone to housekeeping on the southeast corner of Wood and South Main streets.

Mrs. Wm. Boyd, accompanied by Miss Annie Chambers, departed for Virginia to day, and will remain among the mountains during the summer.

Mrs. Nellie Johns Moore arrived in the city last evening from Norfolk, Va., and will remain here for about ten days, when she will depart for Callao, Peru, with Consul Moore and family.

Miss Susan M. Turnbolt, daughter of Mr. D. Turnbolt, formerly proprietor of the old Revere House in this city, and Mr. Theron Rosebrough, agent for three railroads crossing at Tuna, were united in marriage at Lincoln on Tuesday morning.

Judge and Mrs. C. B. Smith and daughter, Miss Laura, of Champaign, were guests at the firemen's banquet last night, and occupied seats with the representatives of the press.

Gussie Ferry, who started for Europe about six weeks ago, has anchored for a short time in New York city, where he as employment in a large publishing house.

J. H. Crocker, of Maroa, has gone east to bring home his daughter, Miss Maggie, who has been attending school at New Haven, Conn.

N. L. Prather, who lived for many years in Long Creek township, and who went to Obion county, Tennessee, last spring to reside, is back again for a few days on business. He reports everything as flourishing in Western Tennessee, and seems to be much pleased with his new home.

Lieut. Gov. John M. Hamilton, who was in town to-day on legal business, did himself the honor to call at the REPUBLICAN office. Gov. Cullom being absent from the state, the lieutenant governor is really *ex-officio* governor; but Mr. Hamilton has not chosen to go to Springfield and assert his rights, so that Illinois is running along to day without an executive.

REDUCE your shoe bills by buying of Barber & Baker. d&wtf

GRAND COMPLIMENTARY BANQUET.

Given Last Night by the Ladies of Decatur to the Volunteer Fire Department.

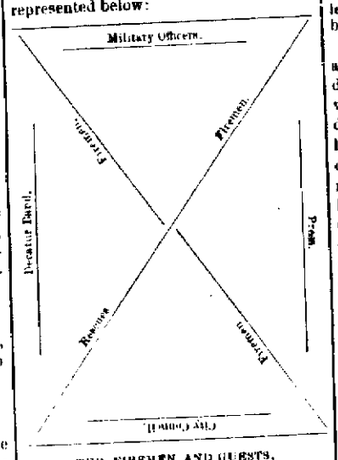
THE VICTORIOUS RESCUES TOASTED, FEASTED AND CHEERED.

A Brilliant and Happy Affair—Amusing Incidents.

The formal five days' jollification over the famous victories of Rescue Hose Co No. 1, of Decatur—the prize runners and couplers of the world—closed last night with a grand complimentary banquet to the members of the entire fire department, the city council, the Decatur band and the press, given by the enthusiastic ladies of our fair city. The ladies at their first meeting on Monday forenoon voted to give the feast at Guards' Armory, and manage the affair themselves. They considered it a labor of love and pride, and although the time allotted to prepare for such a great occasion was brief, the brave ladies joined hands and went to work with a will, as did the Decatur Elis at the Bluffs when they made the run in 42 — Nearly every household in the city contributed to the banquet, and the result was that the eight tables and sideboards in the festal hall last evening fairly groaned beneath the monster weight of the good things of this life. There was an abundance of substantials and rich delicacies of the season—cakes, ice cream, strawberries, lemonade, and solids in great plenty and variety. The coffee was prepared by the great specialist in that line, Sir Knight William Towling, and it was perfect.

THE DECORATIONS

of the hall included all the taking banners and mottoes shown in Monday's welcome home parade. A great profusion of large and small flags, two sketches by Vest, representing the Rescues straining every muscle in the 42 race and the cart in the hub and hub contest. They attracted general attention and were much admired. A long shelving seven feet high against the south wall, and it was ornamented with a fine collection of growing and blooming plants, while the tables were adorned in the best of taste with innumerable large and beautiful cakes, lovely flowers and delicious fruit. The tables, on which were placed over 200 plates, were nicely arranged in the form represented below:



THE FIREMEN AND GUESTS,

with Chief Hewes and the Decatur band in the lead, formed in line at firemen's headquarters on East Main street, and marched to the banquet hall, which they found brilliantly lighted and adorned as above imperfectly described. As the Rescue's running team entered the band honored the runners by playing one of their best triumphal marches. The firemen and guests were seated as indicated in the above diagram under the direction of Captain Foster, the master of ceremonies, assisted by scores of smiling matrons and misses who had prepared the feast and waited to attend the tables.

THE FEAST

At three taps of the drum the guests of the ladies commenced a general attack upon the tempting edibles, and all ate heartily for nearly an hour, when

THE TOASTS,

were announced in the following order by the toast-master, Captain Foster, who appeared in his military uniform:

The Decatur Fire Department:—Its efficiency and promptness to respond to the tap of the alarm bell—Response by Fire Chief J. S. Hewes.

The gentleman spoke of the early history of the volunteer department, when in 1866 the first hook and ladder company was organized and did service for five years. In 1872 the council reorganized the department, with Franklin Priest as chief and J. S. Hewes and Harl P. Christie as first and second assistants. The assistants organized the three hose companies that now exist, and reorganized Young America Hook & Ladder Co. No 1, occupying an old shed where the tabernacle now stands. To-day, the speaker was proud to state the department occupied substantial and well-appointed buildings and owned splendid apparatus. The firemen are all picked citizens of Decatur—men of good character and muscle—and the Decatur firemen, as everybody knows, possess an enviable state and national reputation, second to no other volunteer department in the east or west. The speaker had long held official positions as a fireman, and he was proud to say that none of the boys had ever disobeyed an order, but always stood ready and willing to do the work assigned them on all occasions. It is gratifying to be able to truthfully state that our department commands the admiration and respect not only of our home people, but those of the nation. In their infancy as an organization the Decatur firemen started out to see what they could do at tournaments, and they won two state hose belts, one second and one third prize, and two second state hook and ladder prizes—all won by volunteer firemen—none professional foot-racers, but all Decatur boys and active firemen. [Applause.] The Rescue boys went west, and at Council Bluffs won for themselves and Decatur imperishable fame.. They competed with the best companies in the country, and what did they do? They brought home everything that was hung up for them to take. [Loud cheers.] And we are all proud of them, and of Kraft, and Litterer and Brett, the king bees of all the tournaments. [Prolonged applause.]

The Mayor and City Council of Decatur—Faithful guardians of the public interests, liberal benefactors of every enterprise that promises to benefit the people. They merit our fullest confidence and highest esteem.—Response by Mayor Waggoner.

The Mayor's response was in keeping with the time and spirit of the occasion, embracing deserving complimentary allusions to the efficiency of the department, the faithfulness of the members in performing their arduous and sometimes dangerous duties, closing with a concise statement of the city of Decatur as a railroad, business and manufacturing center. The remarks of the gentleman were well received.

The Decatur Band—Like everything else about Decatur, it is no common affair. We are proud of it—not only as a musical organization, but as a company of gentlemen—Response by Prof. Goodman, leader.

The Professor remarked in the beginning that he didn't understand why the band and its members should be toasted —they were no great blowers or runners. (A voice, "Haines was there!" shouts of laughter.) The members of the band had worked hard and were now in fair shape. They stand on their own merits, and went to Bloomington last fall and did like the Rescues, brought home "the cake." (Rapturous applause.) This complimentary banquet to our firemen is a great occasion and will long be remembered, but if the band received just one half the sympathy and encouragement given the deserving fire boys, the speaker said the band would blow so long and loud that all the rats would leave town! The band merits substantial encouragement, for it is difficult at times to keep up such an organization, particularly in a city of this size. The Professor resumed his seat amidst a storm of plaudits, plainly manifesting the appreciation of the company for the sentiments so plainly and opportunely spoken.

Fred Litterer and George Brett—Our champion couplers—a couple of experts whose names are coupled with the great victory which we celebrate to-night. Like a good pair of shoes, they are rights and lefts, and they never pinch.—Response by Judge C. B. Smith.

The distinguished guest said that all are familiar with the fact that all heroic deeds and acts win the approbation of the world. Go back in history to the earliest days and it will be found that heroic acts have always been rewarded with the plaudits of the masses,—so it was in the Roman forum, and so it will be for all time. Looking around the hall the Judge beheld the portrait of America's foremost citizen and illustrious soldier, Gen. Grant, whom the speaker truthfully said had received the highest honors it was possible for any people to pay any chief among men. Thousands of men contended with him in the great struggles for human rights and universal liberty. Our glorious country stands to-day prominent among other countries in the world. Lorillard with his "Iroquois" in England, and James R. Keen with "Foxhall" in France, have demonstrated that American men and horses cannot be eclipsed in blood contests on the other side of the Atlantic, and the Decatur boys—the Rescues—have shown the Bluffers that when they enter a race they go in to win! (cheers) This is a great country, Illinois is a great state and Decatur is a great town. [more cheering.] The Judge then took occasion to remark that he had long felt an interest in Decatur—in her growth and prosperity—and gloried with the fire boys in their great victories, and felt specially honored to be called upon to respond to the toast for Litterer and Brett, who had actually snatched victory from the very jaws of defeat by their marvelous coupling. Men strong and swift came forth from Denver and from various parts of Illinois and the west to contend with each other. From Decatur went the Rescues and they triumphed as never firemen triumphed before [applause.] The speaker said he was unable to express the gratitude of Decatur for the victory achieved. People went wild with joy when they heard the glad tidings, and the demonstrations which followed were no mean honor to the Rescues—all men of the strongest muscles, the bravest hearts and keenest grit. [general applause.] The judge then formally presented in fitting words a large and beautiful cake to the champion couplers—the gift of Miss Katie Stabler, as a slight testimonial of her kindest regards. No little amusement was occasioned by the evident embarrassment of the recipients of the gift. They stood for a few moments looking at it with great solemnity, without uttering a word, while the company joined the in general merriment, which the pleasing incident occasioned. The boys refused to respond in words to the repeated calls, but finally promised to give an exhibition coupling in the hall, and while they were getting ready for the exercise the next toast was announced.

The Press of Decatur—The bellows that never fails to blow for the firemen —Response by J. R. Mosser.

LIGHTNING FEATS.

The exhibition coupling was given in the west end of the hall and was decidedly entertaining. It was given by Litterer and Brett, under the direction of Captain Kraft, with Charles P. Housum as timer, and was a practical demonstration of how prizes at tournaments are won and lost. No little fun was occasioned by burlesque demonstrations of the manner in which the vanquished Denver, Council Bluffs and Cedar Rapids couplers did their bungling work. The exercises closed with the 42 and hub-and-hub connections, and both were received with tumultuous applause.

The Ladies of Decatur—Their smiles and approbation our best reward; we will make better time than we did at Council Bluffs should we ever be called upon to go to their Rescue—was the last toast of the pleasant occasion, to which Hon. W. E. Nelson responded in his happiest vein, according the ladies full praise for their noble efforts and promptness in providing such a bountiful and elegant banquet for the firemen, whom we all honored At 9 o'clock on Monday morning the ladies left their dish-pans and went to work, and now see what they have accomplished. No women of any other town could have done so much so completely in so short a time. Their smiles of approbation and words of cheer are our best meed of praise. The Major here made a pleasing allusion to the fire department as it existed in Decatur 25 years ago, when Frank Priest was chief and W. T. Wells assistant. Then he said the hose cart consisted of old boots, and the hose of buckets taken from the kitchens. We are old now, and may not "get there" as quick as the younger ones, but when we do, we'll stay as long as the next best. No man who has any connection with Decatur but feels proud of the achievements of the Rescues, and the speaker ceased speaking on returning the thanks of the firemen to the ladies for their great kindness and generous hospitality.

The Decatur Band closed the formal exercises by playing an excellent selection, when the

HAZOO BAND,

which is composed of George Downing, Will Gilkeson, Harvey Downing, George Kraft, Frank Haines, Herman Martin and Toney Walser, and which accompanied the Rescues to Council Bluffs, stepped to the front with their peculiar "fifes," and played two numbers to the great pleasure of the company. They also sang the following

COMPANY SONG.

O, now kind friends, your attention we ask.
Good by, my lady, good by,
We'll tell you about last week's contest,
Good by, my lady, good by.

Chorus—
By, baby, by, O,
By, baby, bye,
By, baby bye, O,
Good by, my lady, good by.

We went to the Bluffs to have some fun,
Good by, lady, Good by,
And we brought back our sock chuck full of "mon,"
Good by, my lady, Good by,
Chorus—

Now the Rescues of the Bluffs, they are very great,
Good by, my lady, Good by
But they didn't get even a pinch of the cake,
Good by, my lady, Good by.
Chorus—

Now the Bates of Denver, they cut a great swell,
Good by, my lady Good by,
And roosted at a three dollar hotel,
Good by, my lady, Good by.
Chorus—

And when on the track the judges said "go,"
Good by, my lady, Good by,
They wiggled and waggled, but the trip was no go,
Good by, my lady, Good by.
Chorus—

Now we are not very smart, we must confess,
Good by, my lady, Good by,
But we go to the Bluffs and clean out the "profesh"
Good by, my lady, Good by,
Chorus—

Now, you bet we tackled some very great teams,
Good by, my lady, Good by,
But they couldn't down the Decatur black fiends,
Good by, my lady, good by,
Chorus—

When Manager Haines came in on the fly,
Good by, my lady, Good by,
He jumped and yelled, "Get there Eli,"
Good by, my lady, Good by.
Chorus—

Of the dear ladies of Decatur we think a great deal,
Good by, my lady, Good by,
We are proud to be honored by such a square meal,
Good by, my lady, Good by.

Chorus—
By, baby, by O,
By, baby, by,
By, baby, by O,
Good by, my lady, Good by.

With the singing of the above song closed one of the most enjoyable receptions and the most successful testimonial banquet ever given in Decatur on any occasion. Not a thing that could have added to the pleasure of the occasion was omitted, and the REPUBLICAN joins in the general complimentary remarks for the ladies that have been made so frequently to-day by the honored guests of last evening. The arrangements for the immense affair were formed and carried out on the spur of the moment, and had weeks instead of a few fleeting hours been consumed in making the preparations for the banquet, it could not have been a greater success—a fitting close to the honors that have been heaped upon our volunteer firemen

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS.

The Decatur Rescues speak very highly of the many favors received from Capt. B. B. Bullwinkle, Supt. Fire Insurance Patrol, Chicago; D. J. Swentz, Chief of Fire Department, Chicago; Jack Galligan, Chief of Fire Department, Omaha; Capt. Thos. Bowman and A. E. Townsend, president Council Bluffs' Rescues, P. Lacy, Chief of their Fire Department; W. M. Brackett, Chief Minneapolis Fire Department; Wm. Franken, Chief Burlington Fire Department; J. D. Paige, Ex-Chief Joliet Fire Department; H. H. Nieman, representing Aureus steam engine company, E. B. Chandler, of Chicago, who superintended the fire alarm used in starting the races; A. Brueggar, Akron, Ohio; H. F. Wheeler, Chicago, L. P. Dodge, Chicago, H. P. Christie, Chelsea, Mass, all "those fiends;" Pres. Oscar Allen, Marshalltown, and C. C. Fitzmanna, Atlantic secretary Iowa Firemens Assurance; G. A. Holmes, Pres., and J. W. Baird, secretary of the local committee of Council Bluffs; Dr. J. S. Bloomingston, of the *Western Fireman*; and C. E. Bowers, "the kid" of the *Firemen's Journal*.

MARRIED.

In this city, on Wednesday, June 15, 1881, at 2:30 p. m., at the Universalist church, by Rev. D. P. Bunn, Mr. DAVID P. HUESTON and Miss CORA BONESTEEL, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Bonesteel.

The church was nearly filled with invited friends, who were received by the ushers, Frank Curtis and Frank Roach. The wedding march was played by Prof. Condell. Mr Hueston is a young farmer and stock raiser of Clark county, Mo., and this afternoon he and his bride departed for the west, taking with them the best wishes of hosts of friends.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

The Closing Quotations at McWhorter & Rollins' Commission Rooms at 1 p. m. To-Day.

CHICAGO, June 15.

Wheat—$1 10¾ June; $1.11¾ July; $1.12¼ Aug; $1.11⅝ Sept.

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Car lots—Wheat, 25; corn, 570; oats, 28; rye 1.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE.

WHEREAS, Andrew Wayts and Nancy Wayts, his wife, did by their deed of trust, dated April 26th, 1875, and recorded in the Recorder's office of Macon county Illinois, in book 55, at page 106, convey to Charles F. Emery, trustee, the premises hereinafter described in trust, to secure the payment of one certain promissory note of said Andrew Wayts, of even date with said trust deed, in the sum of eight hundred dollars, payable three years after date to the order of N. A. Crouch, with ten per cent interest per annum from date, which said note was on the first day of January, A. D. 1879 extended for a period of three years from said date, and said Wayts executed and delivered to said Crouch coupons evidencing the interest upon said note for the time so extended—it being agreed upon said extension that all covenants and agreements in said trust deed should apply to said extension, and whereas, it is provided in said trust deed that a failure to pay interest when due shall have the effect to render the entire sum of principal and interest at once due and payable, and upon application of the legal holder of said note the trustee shall proceed and sell said premises in the manner stated in said trust deed, and whereas, default has been made in the payment of the interest due January 1st, A. D. 1880 and each installment of interest since said date, and Joseph Sears, the present legal holder of said note has requested the undersigned to proceed and sell said premises in the manner prescribed in said trust deed, and claims that there will be due upon said note and trust deed on the first day of July, A. D. 1881, the sum of $965 55.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that the undersigned trustee will, on the first day of July, A. D. 1881, at the hour of one o'clock p. m. of said day, at the front door of the court house, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described premises, situated in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: The north east quarter of the southeast quarter of section number twenty six, in township number sixteen north, range two east of the third principal meridian, containing forty acres, more or less, and all right, title, interest and equity of redemption of the said Andrew Wayts and Nancy Wayts, or either of them therein

CHARLES F. EMERY, Trustee

May 27, 1881—dtd

Notice to Contractors.

SEALED proposals will be received by the undersigned up to June 25th, 1881, 7 o'clock P. M., for the construction of a brick sewer in the Fifth Ward, in accordance with the plans and specifications on file in the office of the city clerk. The city reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the City Council

G. P. BARDY, City Clerk.

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EXECUTRIX NOTICE.

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PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of Frederick Miller deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the county court of Macon county, to be holden at the court house, in the city of Decatur, on the 3rd Monday of August, A. D. 1881, being the first day of said term.

Decatur Ill June 7th A. D. 1881

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June 8—d&w

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Spelling and Definition

West Chester (Penn.) Record, June 4

The Franklin county superintendent of schools, in overhauling the teachers of that county as to their educational qualifications, found that some of the young ladies who were applicants for positions were decidedly unfitted for their work. The teachers were requested to write the following words, with their definitions: Vacillation, hieroglyphics, antediluvian, aphorism, bivouac, codicil, hallucination, inveigle, periphery. One of the young ladies spelled and defined them as follows: "Vassilation, the act of being vaseel, hyeroglphice, (correct definition), antediluvian, the of loosening down before as it, aphorism, a rising beforehead, bivouac (was unable to define), codissel, relating to a code, a law or rule, hollu sensation, a strange loosening or separation, as it were, inveigle, somewhat strange, periphery, unnatural." Several others who were examined spelled and defined some of the words as follows: "Superannuated, the state of being over exerted, codicile (couldn't define), periffery (couldn't define), hallucination, act of rejoicing or blessing, bivouac, American bush fighting." One of the young ladies who received 7½ per cent., defined hallucination as "the condition of being made clear."

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If you want mill feed, corn or oats you can be supplied at SHELLABARGER'S. Dec. 18—d&wtf

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THE best new Davis sewing machines can be had for $10 less than agents prices at A. J. Wallace & Co's book store. Call and see before buying. m12d&wtf

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Announcement

We are authorized to announce to the citizens of Decatur and Macon county, that the new spring stock of Boots and Shoes received by J. W. Baker is the most stylish and best fitting goods in the city. apr6—d&wtf

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Bear & Einstein

Have secured one more first class milliner, having been rushed so that they have been compelled to add extra help to accommodate their customers. They would therefore, inform the ladies of Decatur and surrounding country that they can fill all orders at short notice, in first-class style, cheaper than ever offered in this city. Call and see the stock—no trouble to show goods. 10-d&wtf

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Revised New Testament.

300 copies of the Revised New Testament just received at A. J. Wallace & Co's Book Store. Call and get one. May 22—d&wtf

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Shellabarger's Patent Process Flour retains all the nourishment contained in the wheat. None of its virtues are wasted. Try it. [Dec 18—d&wtf

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Ask the druggist or write for the little book. SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., Atlanta, Ga. Prop'rs. Sold by druggists everywhere. 2

Whitewashing

I am ready to fill orders for whitewashing. Shop under Roach & McRoy's dry goods store. [mar31d&w1m] H. F. WHITNER

On Monday, June 27th, the Illinois Central Railroad Company will give a pleasure excursion to Clear Lake, Iowa, 400 miles distant. The train will leave Decatur at 3.40 p. m., 27th, arriving at Clear Lake 4 p. m., 28th. Fare from Decatur, $9.25, tickets good to return on any regular train within 60 days.

May 30—d&wtd

LADIES!

Ladies having handsome dresses to make would do well to give Mrs. Grist a call as she comes among the people of Decatur well recommended, and having an experience of 10 years in her line of business, can guarantee satisfaction both in work fitting and finishing. over F. L. Hays & Co's. [Mar19d1mo

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New Carpets, new Wall papers, new modes of decorating, new prices. Abel & Locke are turning them up in Town. See their card in another place. 24 d&wtf

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For cheapest and best Summer Cooking Stoves go to Wingate's Decatur Lamp Store, Central Block, Merchant street. May 11—dtf

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For Sale

Summer Cooking Stoves that never get out of order—on this we challenge the world. at Wingate's Decatur Lamp store. m14dtf

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IMPORTED Colored Gents' Hose at STINE'S. 11—dtf

Attention, Young Men!

You can find a larger assortment of fine low cut shoes at J. W. Baker's than at any other store in the city. He makes a specialty of men's fine shoes. apr9dtf

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Made to Order.

The celebrated Wilson Bros. Shirts made to order and in stock, at B. STINE'S the Boss Clothier. 1f

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ICE.

Orders for ice left at J. Mehls' No. 12 Water street, will receive prompt attention. C. H. WHITNER. May 18—d2mos

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THE EGYPTIAN RAT DESTROYER

Is the best preparation ever devised for the extermination of these troublesome vermin and all other insects, bugs, roaches, etc. 4

You ought to examine shoes at J. W. Baker's. apr30dtf

HARTFORD and Lowell carpets in new styles and beautiful colorings just received by Linn & Scruggs. March 26 d&wtf

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THE best new hammocks in the city for sale at A. J. Wallace & Co's book store. may12 d&wtf

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DERNON'S CATARRH SNUFF cures Catarrh and all affections of the mucous membrane.

A LARGE lot of Hassocks and Ottomans will be closed out on our *cheap counter* at greatly reduced prices. Jan 6—d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS

We have a complete line of Notions and Ladies Furnishing Goods. 10 d&wtf BEAR & EINSTEIN

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Of all kinds on hand. We kill only first-class stock. BLENZ & DANZEISEN

Executor's Notice.

Estate of Mary F. Cool deceased

PUBLIC notice is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of Mary F. Cool deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the County Court of Macon county, to be holden at the Court House in the city of Decatur, on the third Monday of August A. D. 1881, being the first day of said term.

DECATUR, Ill., June 7 A. D. 1881

ISAAC N. COOL, Executor

June 7 1881 d&w

THE best Carpet Sweepers that are made—and what every housekeeper should have—for sale at Linn & Scruggs. June 8 d&wtf

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Mrs. Grindel, at her boarding house No. 11 West Main street, can furnish boarding and rooms by the day or week for a few more boarders, fare good and price very reasonable. March 5—dtf

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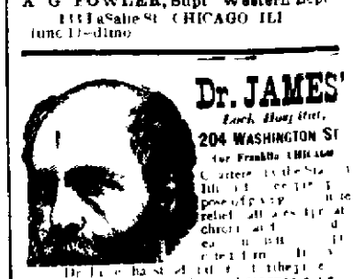

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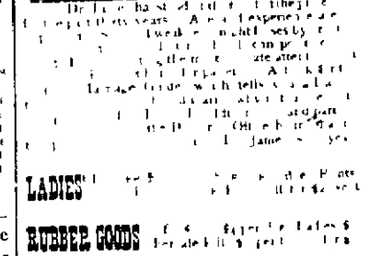

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